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VIRTUALLY APPROVED, SUBJECT ONLY TO RATIFICATION

BELIEVE THAT COVERT COURSES OF ACTION HE
POSTULATES FAR IN EXCESS OF STATION CAPABILITIES
TO DELIVER,

AND NOT EVEN MAKING ALLOWANCE FOR
RESTRICTIVE FEATURES OF ALLENDE REGIME WHICH BOUND TO
CRIMP STATION'S CUSTOMARY STYLE. URGENTLY NEED

DETAILED GUIDANCE BEFORE COMMITTING TO ACTION
PROGRAM IT MAY HAVE REASON FOR QUESTIONING.